

ORDER NOW

CHRISTMAS TREES
TREE STANDS
WREATHS
HOLLY
ROPING
MISTLETOE

Special price on quantity to churches and clubs.

MONGREL GEESSE

NATIVE TURKEYS

GUINEA BROTHERS

ROASTING CHICKENS

AND FOWLS

SOMERS

MR. H. T. MILLER'S

School for Dancing

28 OAK STREET.

Classes Saturday. Beginners. 2 p. m. Advanced. 2:45 p. m. Special arrangements may be made for private classes. At Academy daily from 4 to 8. Telephone 1494.

THE THAMES NATIONAL BANK.

Norwich, Conn., Dec. 23, 1911.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this bank, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such business as may legally come before them, is hereby called to be held at their Banking House, on Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1912, at 2 o'clock.

CHARLES W. GALE, Cashier.

dec23d

THE PLANT-CADDEN CO.

At Moderate Prices

Handsome qualities and a complete stock at

The Toggery Shop,

291 Main Street

Opposite New Chelsea Savings Bank.

JAS. C. MACPHERSON.

Archives

Selected Jewelry

Diamonds

and other

Precious Stones

at the

PLANT-CADDEN CO.'S STORE

A BRILLIANT DISPLAY

It is a fixed principle of this store that diamonds that are even slightly imperfect, and everybody can afford to give diamonds to their loved ones, and everybody who is thinking of buying diamonds should at least take the precaution of making sure that the stones are of quality, as stones that are not are of very little value.

Buying diamonds of us means getting tested stones, means safety as well as economy.

Buying diamonds of us is essentially a form of investment—safe investment.

The value of high-grade diamonds goes up steadily and stones bought now of us will undoubtedly be worth appreciably more in twelve months time.

The Plant-Cadden Co.

Jewelers and Silversmiths.

Established 1872

PLANT-CADDEN BUILDING

TODAY

Mission Tabourettes and Magazine Racks left from our Christmas sale 1/2 price.

The Fanning Studios,

31 Willow Street

AMERICAN HOUSE,

Farrell & Sanders, Props.

SPECIAL RATES to Theatre Troupes, Traveling Men, etc. Livery connected.

SHEPHERD STREET.

NEW LINE

of FALL DRESS GOODS direct from mill at very low prices.

Assortment of hats, coats, and all kinds. Cotton Goods and Silks at Half Price.

MILL REMNANT STORE

JOHN BLOOM, Prop.

171 W. Main St.

JOSEPH BRADFORD,

Book Binder.

Blank Books Made and Ruled to Order.

103 BROADWAY.

Telephone 255.

JEWETT CITY HOTEL

New and Up-to-date in every particular.

IRA F. LEWIS, Proprietor.

THERE is no advertising medium in Eastern Connecticut equal to The Bulletin for business results.

The Bulletin.

Norwich, Monday, Dec. 25, 1911.

VARIOUS MATTERS

The heavy rain has left some of the crosswalks deep in mud.

Hunters are preparing to feed quail and other game birds, as soon as snow falls.

The Christmas shopping pace and the Christmas parcel arm are current specialties.

Fresh supply of lacy berry candles at Lee & Osgood's—adv.

There will be morning prayer, sermon and holy communion at Trinity Episcopal church this morning.

As the calendar note, 1912 is leap year, giving a chance for those who were born on February 29 to celebrate their birthday.

A civil service examination will be held January 13 for the place of telephone lineman in the life saving service at Acadia.

The new poles for the electric street lights for Norwich Town have been set from the Backus hospital up to a point just above Adams' tavern.

Night Starter John W. Kinney of the town company was the lucky winner of the first basket of fruit offered by Somers Bros. for a Christmas prize to their customers.

Ernest Allison Smith was in Hartford Saturday attending a meeting of county directors of the prohibition party, when plans were being considered for a new state.

Although the season is late, ice men are not worried. No ice was cut last year until the middle of January, yet plenty was stored to last through the abnormally hot summer.

The Red Cross sales will continue on sale up to the middle of January. In many towns several business places will use them in their letters when sending out January bills.

In spite of the distractions of the season, a good number spent several hours in the reading room at the city library, Sunday afternoon. Mr. Trumbull, the librarian, was in charge.

The first meeting of creditors of Harry Krantz of Tolland was held in the office of Referee in Bankruptcy George A. Kellogg's in Hartford, on Friday afternoon, but no trustee was appointed.

Boy Sunbeams Teas, simply delicious at A. O. & Sons' adv.

The streets were very lively and sparkling Saturday night as they were during the 250th anniversary celebration. Good natured crowds jostled and chafed, and everybody appeared laden with Santa Claus packages.

Rev. Hugh Treason preached at St. Patrick's church at the high mass on Sunday on the day's gospel, lessons and canticles. The Christmas services today will be of special significance, the first Christmas since the consecration of this church.

An indication of prosperity is noted at the Hartford shops of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co., when the machinists have been ordered to return to the old schedule of nine hours a day. Before, the schedule has been eight hours.

Although the representations of the crib at Bethlehem were in place in the Catholic churches Sunday, the nativity scene was still of Advent violet; for that season of preparation does not end until Christmas, when all the services are those of special rejoicing.

Trolley lines from every direction brought thousands of buyers to Norwich on Saturday. The fact that the Norwich stores, the reliability of their stocks, and the scientific and intelligent advertising of merchandise created an immense holiday trade. It would be interesting to know the total of the bank deposits on Tuesday.

The inventory of the estate of Joseph K. Lamm of Chicago, who had been buried recently in Norwich, was recorded in the probate court Friday on Saturday. The value of the estate was \$20,051.10, and \$14,400 stock in the Hartford Electric Light and Power Co. was listed at \$5,375.68.

The case of the Perry Ice company of New London vs. Gardner Hall, Jr., of West Willington, on trial in the superior court at Norwich last week, came to a sudden end when the lawyers announced that an agreement had been reached between the parties and the case would be discontinued. An agreement will be ready for the signatures of both parties Tuesday.

Charles R. Wood of Chicago, who had been buried about two years ago in the pine box known as "Rachman's mill," located between Pleasant Valley and Hamburg. He has expended about \$15,000 in improving the property. This new enterprise is the converting of brush into fodder for cattle.

The issue of the Telephone Directory, as used all over the state, will consist of 92,000 books, each volume containing 486 pages, including one for each of a total of 46,125,000 pages for the entire edition. If these books were spread out singly, as closely as they could be placed, they would make a flooring of telephone directories one inch thick that would cover eleven and one-half acres.

SENATOR BRANDEGEE'S

TARIFF VIEWS

In Complete Accord With Principles Laid Down by President Taft.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

Washington, Dec. 24.—Just as he was leaving for New York, Senator Brandegee was asked what he thought of the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

Senator Brandegee was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules. He said he was in complete accord with the president's position on the wool schedules.

PERSONAL

C. Eugene Saunders of Holyoke is spending Christmas in town.

Miss Maud Allen of Boston is at her home in this city for Christmas.

A. B. Peckham of South Hampton is at his home here for the holidays.

Congressman Higgins is spending the holidays at his home in this city.

Martin O'Grady is spending Christmas with relatives in Worcester, Mass.

Miss Annie F. Nolan of New York is the guest of Mrs. Thomas B. Leahy of this street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Potter of Dorchester and the guests of relatives here for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace I. Briggs of Providence are the guests of relatives over Christmas.

Francis Luce of the Norwich Free Academy is at his home in Niantic for the holidays.

Robert Cross of Trinity college is spending the Christmas vacation at his home on Maple street.

Fred Church of Worcester Tech. is spending the Christmas vacation at his home on Pearl street.

Miss Catherine Kelley of New London is at her home in Colchester to remain over the holidays.

G. R. Sanders of Mechanic street expects to spend Christmas in New London with his brother.

Attorney Thomas J. Skelly of New York is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas street to spend Christmas.

Miss Mildred Pierce of Northfield is the guest of Mrs. Nelson Parker at her home on Washington street.

Miss Helen Newton of the Academy faculty is spending the holiday vacation at her home in Woodbridge, Conn.

Miss Martha E. Jones of Southington, Conn., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Potter of Thames terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Talcott of Williams street are visiting in Providence. They will remain there till after the holidays.

Mrs. Charles Osborne and daughter Marjorie of Montville are visiting Mr. Osborne's sister, Mrs. George Rice at New Haven.

Miss Lucy Davies of Hartford and Miss Emilie Maude Davies, who is teaching in Montclair, N. J., are spending the holidays here.

Horace H. Allen of the wrecking steam tug, "The Wrecking," which was during the 250th anniversary celebration. Good natured crowds jostled and chafed, and everybody appeared laden with Santa Claus packages.

Harold Powers, who is employed by a telephone company with headquarters in Boston, is at his home on Cliff terrace for several days.

Miss Faye Newland of Cornell university, Ithaca, N. Y., is spending a part of the holiday vacation at her home on Williams street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Perkins of New York are spending Christmas as guests of Mr. Perkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perkins of Thames terrace.

Joseph A. Ambler of the faculty of Yale university, New Haven, is at his home, Mr. and Mrs. Chester G. Ambler of Church street, for the holiday recess.

Charles A. Ballou, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sanders of Mechanic street for a week, returns to his home in Ux bridge, Mass., today.

Master Howard Louis Peckham and Oliver J. Peckham, Jr., of East Side, left Saturday evening to spend their Christmas in College Point, L. I., with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Peckham.

On Saturday, Prof. W. O. Turner of Willimantic, called on Norwich to spend the day with his cousin, Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Maine. As he left on Saturday night, a number of years there is to be a reunion of relatives and friends at the hospitable home of Dr. Maine, who naturally are delightedly, as friends in many towns have come to know.

ANNUAL REUNION OF

RHO ALPHA MU FRAT.

Banquet at Haile Club With 27 Members Attending.

For their 27th annual reunion and banquet of 27 members of Rho Alpha Mu, the senior class of the Academy of Fraternal, were gathered on Saturday evening at the Haile club, where at 8:30 o'clock the banquet was served in the dining room. In their decorations with centerpieces of holly and pinecones, the tables presented a most attractive appearance, being arranged in the form of an open square.

There were pretty hand-painted place cards showing the fraternity pin in gold and the menu cards were printed in gold with insignia of the fraternity. The following menu was nicely served:

Grapefruit Cocktail.

Celery Soup.

Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce.

Waldorf Salad.

Crackers.

Ice Cream.

Demi Tasse.

For the post-prandial exercises, C. Russell Kinney presided acceptably.

Traver Briscoe, Edmund W. Perkins and Prentice Chase, interesting readings were read in a letter from Norris Elmore Clark of Plainville, a distinguished member of the fraternity.

Channing M. Huntington, George F. Hyde and Charles E. Whitney. The latter two were in the audience.

In the Haile club hall with songs and music.

The committee in charge of the banquet consisted of C. Russell Kinney, Stanley Gay and Theodore Hayland, their efforts resulting in making it one of the pleasantest in the long series of similar affairs. A flashlight picture was taken, and the banquet was over Wednesday.

Postoffice Hours Christmas Day.

Postoffice will be open from 7 a. m. to 12 m.

Money order and carriers' windows will be closed all day.

Carriers will make the early morning delivery, and a delivery at 2 p. m. will be made.

The last collections from the business collection will be made at 6:15 and 6:45 p. m.

Outgoing mails will close as usual, Greenleaf and Norwich Town stations will close for the day at 12 m.

Stations 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6—No money order business will be transacted.

Rural carriers will make trip as usual.

Proton rural station will close at 12 m. as usual, but mails will be despatched to the Norwich office at the usual hour.

England has a numbering of rat and mice. The rat is numbered for the extermination of these pests.

LARGEST YEAR EVER IN POST OFFICE

Immense Quantity of Packages and Thousands of Postals.

Clerks Worked All Sunday Afternoon—Cards for One Address—All to be Delivered Today.

Christmas records at the postoffice for as long as Postmaster William Caruthers and Major William A. Wells, chief clerk, can remember, had never been so high as this year. As an indication of the postal card mania, it was reported that on Saturday only one carrier on one delivery at one house to one family delivered 42 postal cards.

When the rural carriers will find their deliveries equally crowded today and on Sunday three of them spent the afternoon at the postoffice getting their mail in shape.

For Christmas, day, Postmaster Caruthers will have three thousand cards to deliver, and thousands more in the Christmas postal cards which this year seem to crowd the mails as never before. As an indication of the postal card mania, it was reported that on Saturday only one carrier on one delivery at one house to one family delivered 42 postal cards.

When the rural carriers will find their deliveries equally crowded today and on Sunday three of them spent the afternoon at the postoffice getting their mail in shape.

For Christmas, day, Postmaster Caruthers will have three thousand cards to deliver, and thousands more in the Christmas postal cards which this year seem to crowd the mails as never before. As an indication of the postal card mania, it was reported that on Saturday only one carrier on one delivery at one house to one family delivered 42 postal cards.

When the rural carriers will find their deliveries equally crowded today and on Sunday three of them spent the afternoon at the postoffice getting their mail in shape.

For Christmas, day, Postmaster Caruthers will have three thousand cards to deliver, and thousands more in the Christmas postal cards which this year seem to crowd the mails as never before. As an indication of the postal card mania, it was reported that on Saturday only one carrier on one delivery at one house to one family delivered 42 postal cards.

When the rural carriers will find their deliveries equally crowded today and on Sunday three of them spent the afternoon at the postoffice getting their mail in shape.

For Christmas, day, Postmaster Caruthers will have three thousand cards to deliver, and thousands